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In re Application of: Keith R. Hildebrand et al.  
 Title: Process for Producing Injectable Gabapentin Compositions

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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are the following:

- Application Transmittal Letter (in duplicate)
- Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (3 pg.)
- Patent Application (Specification: 20 pg., Claims: 5 pg. and Abstract: 1 pg.)
- Drawings ( pg., containing Figs. ):  Formal  Informal
- Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Assignment of the Invention to: Medtronic, Inc.
  - Assignment Cover Sheet
  - Assignment Recordal Fee
  - Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b)
- Information Disclosure Statement
  - PTO-1449
  - Copies of IDS citations
- Nonpublication Request Under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
- Return Receipt Postcard

FEE CALCULATION	No. Claims Filed	No. Claims Included in Base Fee	No. Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	38	- 20 =	18	x \$18.00	\$ 324.00
Independent Claims	2	- 3 =	2	x \$86.00	\$ -0-
Multiple Dependent Claims				+ \$290.00	\$
Basic Filing Fee					\$ 770.00
				<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$1094.00</b>

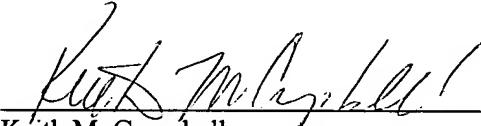
- This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Application No. 10/611,459 filed July 1, 2003  
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